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OH, NO!
THE MASTER
EMERALD!

TOO LATE,
GUARDIAN,
THE POWER IS
MINE NOW!

Tracy Yardley!
-Jim Amash!
-HUNZEKER

KNUCKLES,

YOU HAD **ONE** JOB!

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PREVIOUSLY...

SHADOW BOXING

The Black Arms were a race of ravenous, marauding aliens – until they were wiped out by Shadow the Hedgehog. But the Black Arms' legacy lives on in its sole survivor – Eclipse the Darkling, an alien bred specifically to counter and destroy Shadow.



After their initial encounter, Eclipse escaped to Angel Island, home to Knuckles the Echidna. Eclipse went into hiding, raising his uniquely-bred living weapons – the Dark Arms. To empower them, and himself, he needs the Master Emerald – the very thing keeping Angel Island aloft!

Shadow and Team Dark came to Angel Island, hunting Eclipse. Knuckles isn't fond of uninvited guests, so when Shadow determined the Master Emerald would be safer off the island, Knuckles went on the attack!

Now two of the most powerful beings in the world are duking it out, and **nothing can stand in their way...**



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PROTECTOR

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HEDGEHOG
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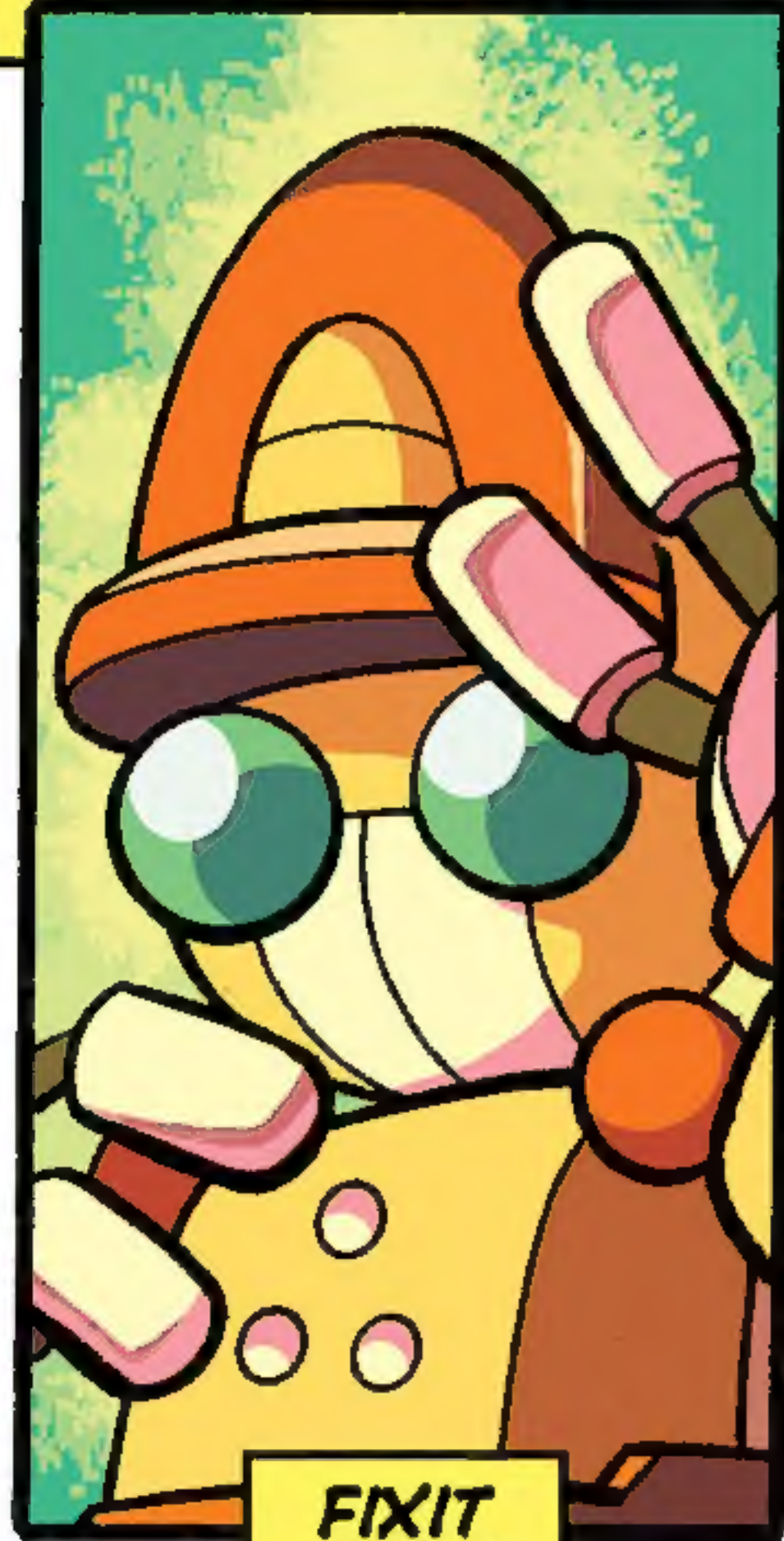
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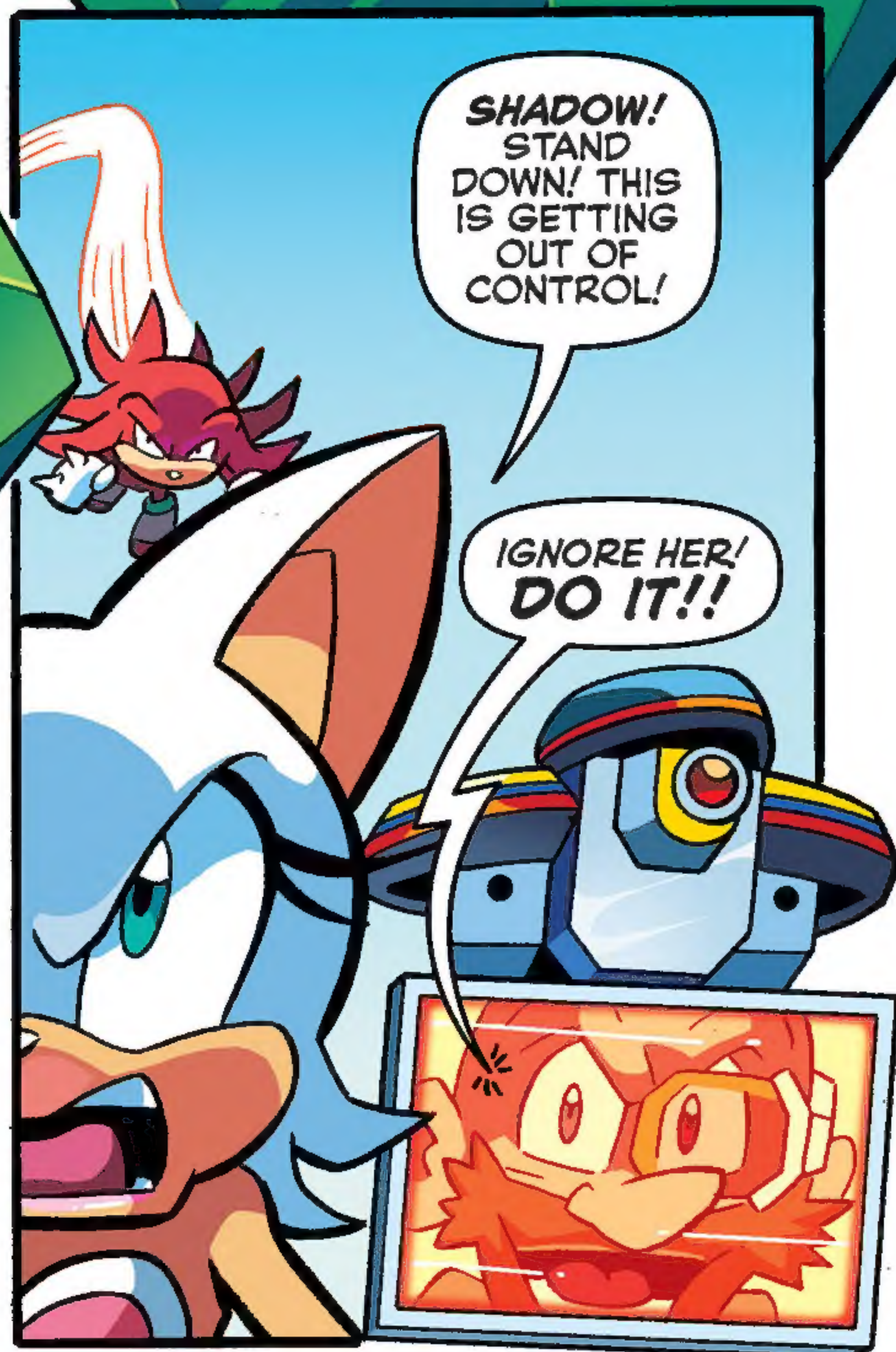
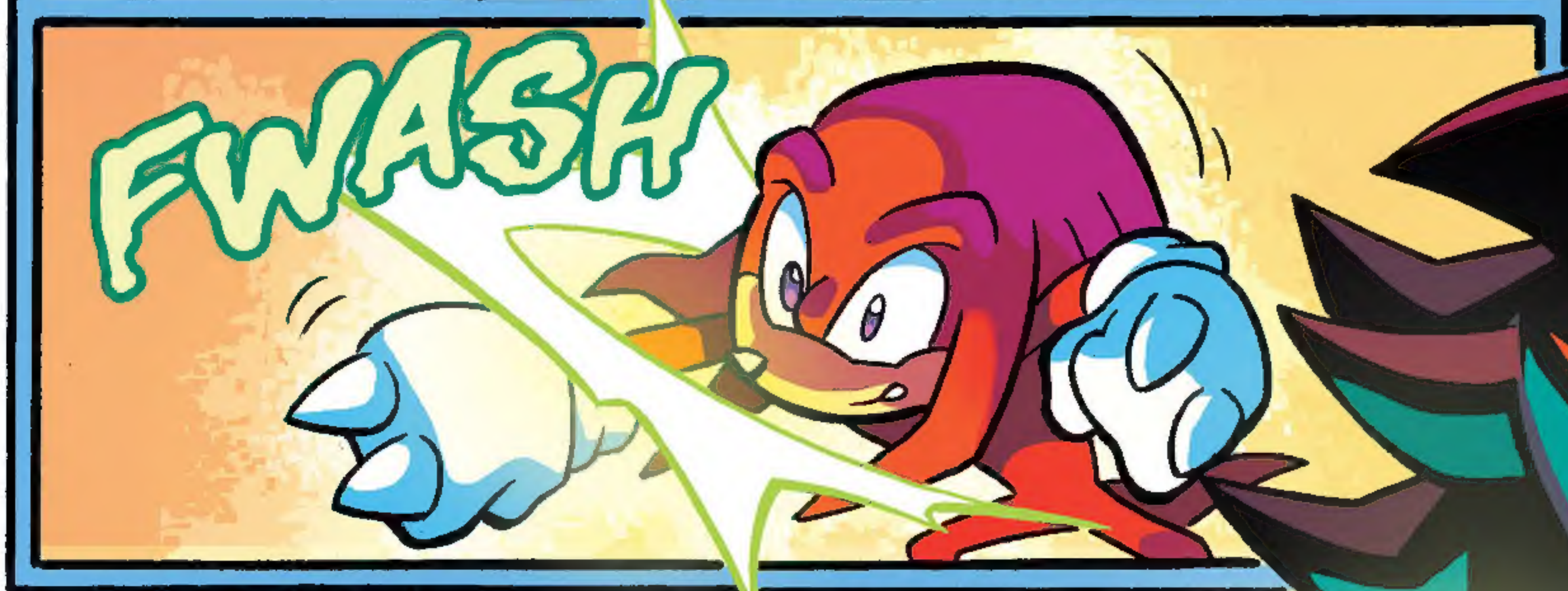
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TO SECURE THE
MASTER EMERALD!
IT'S NOT SAFE
HERE!

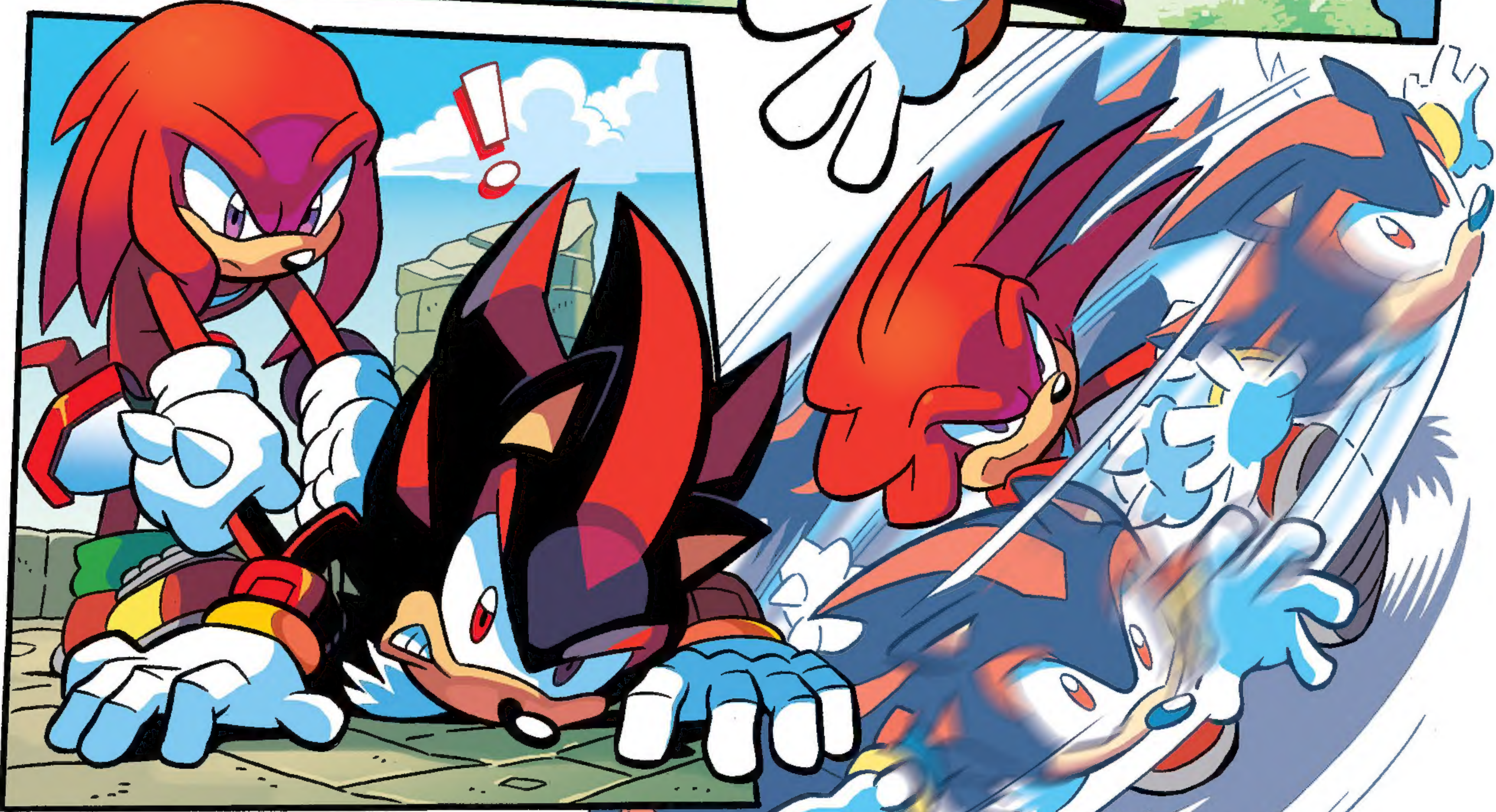
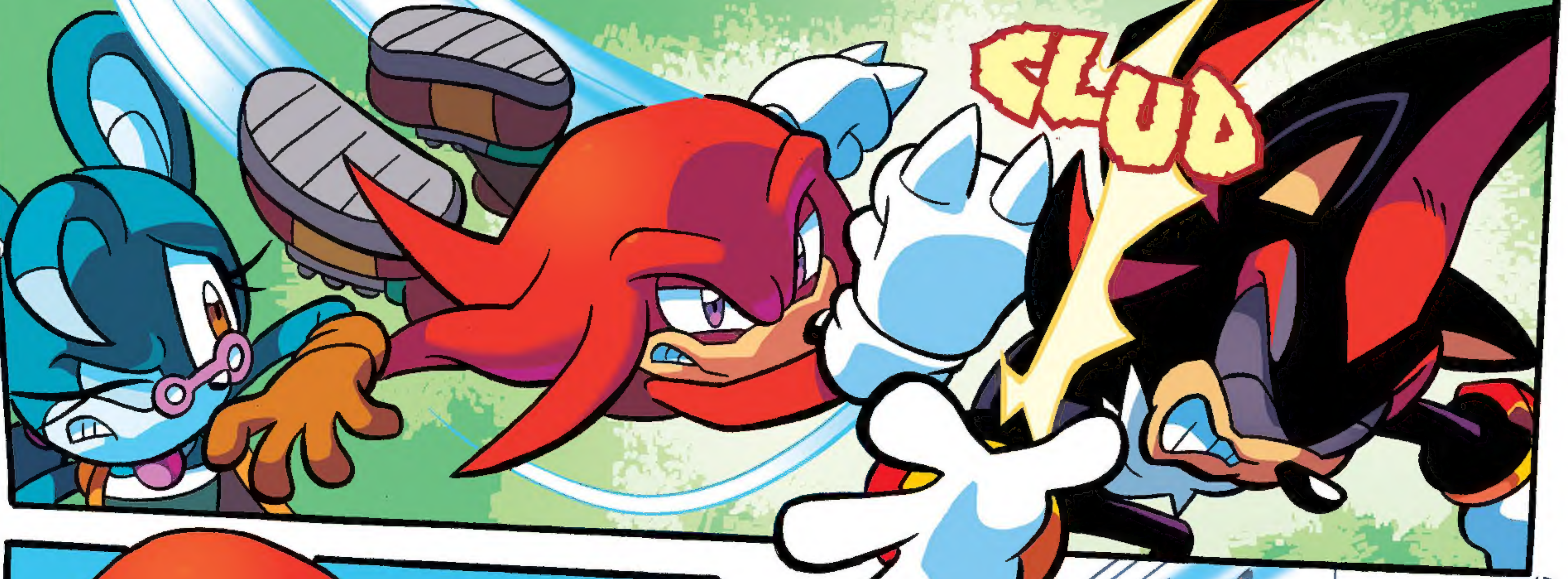
IT STAYS
RIGHT
HERE!

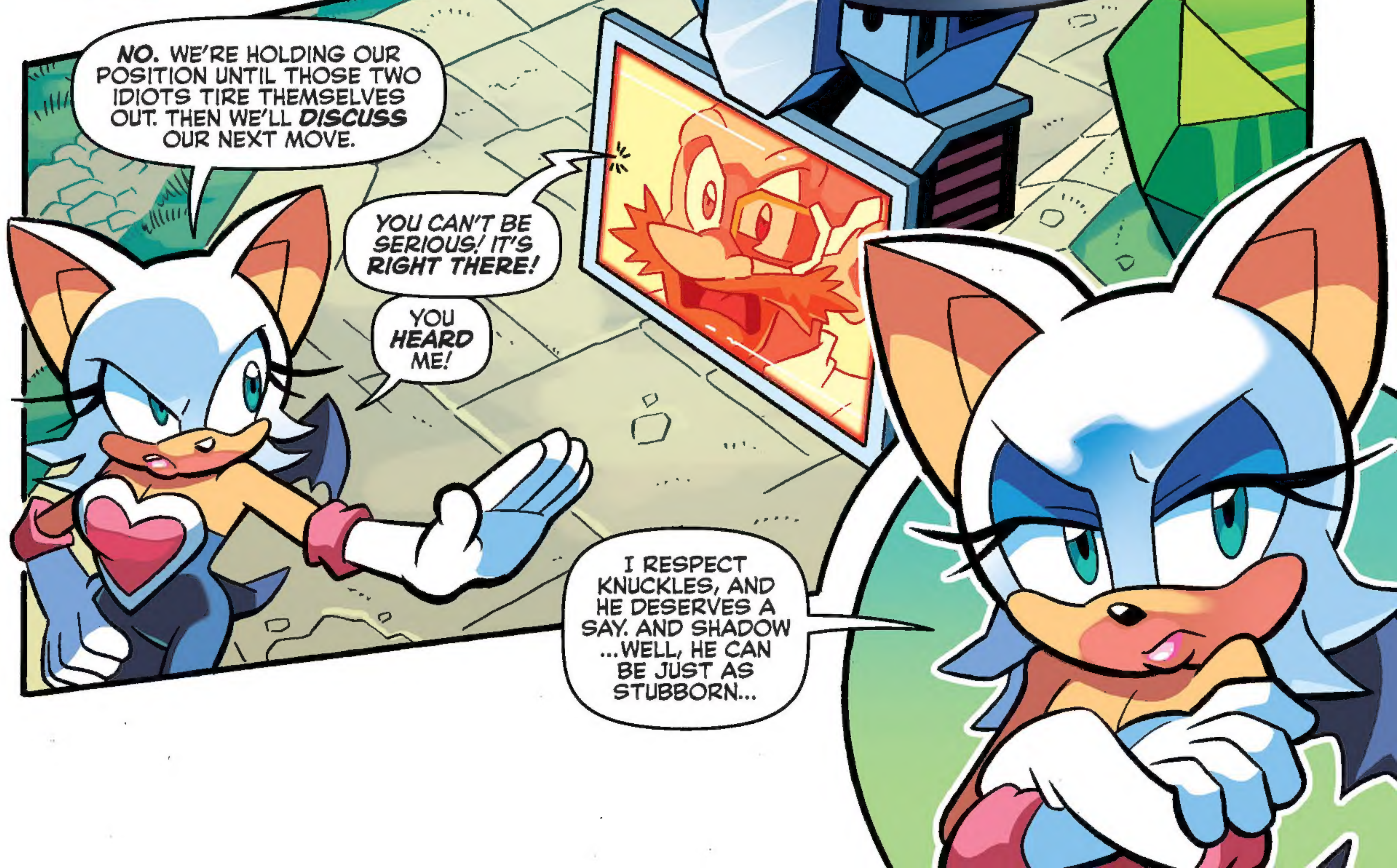
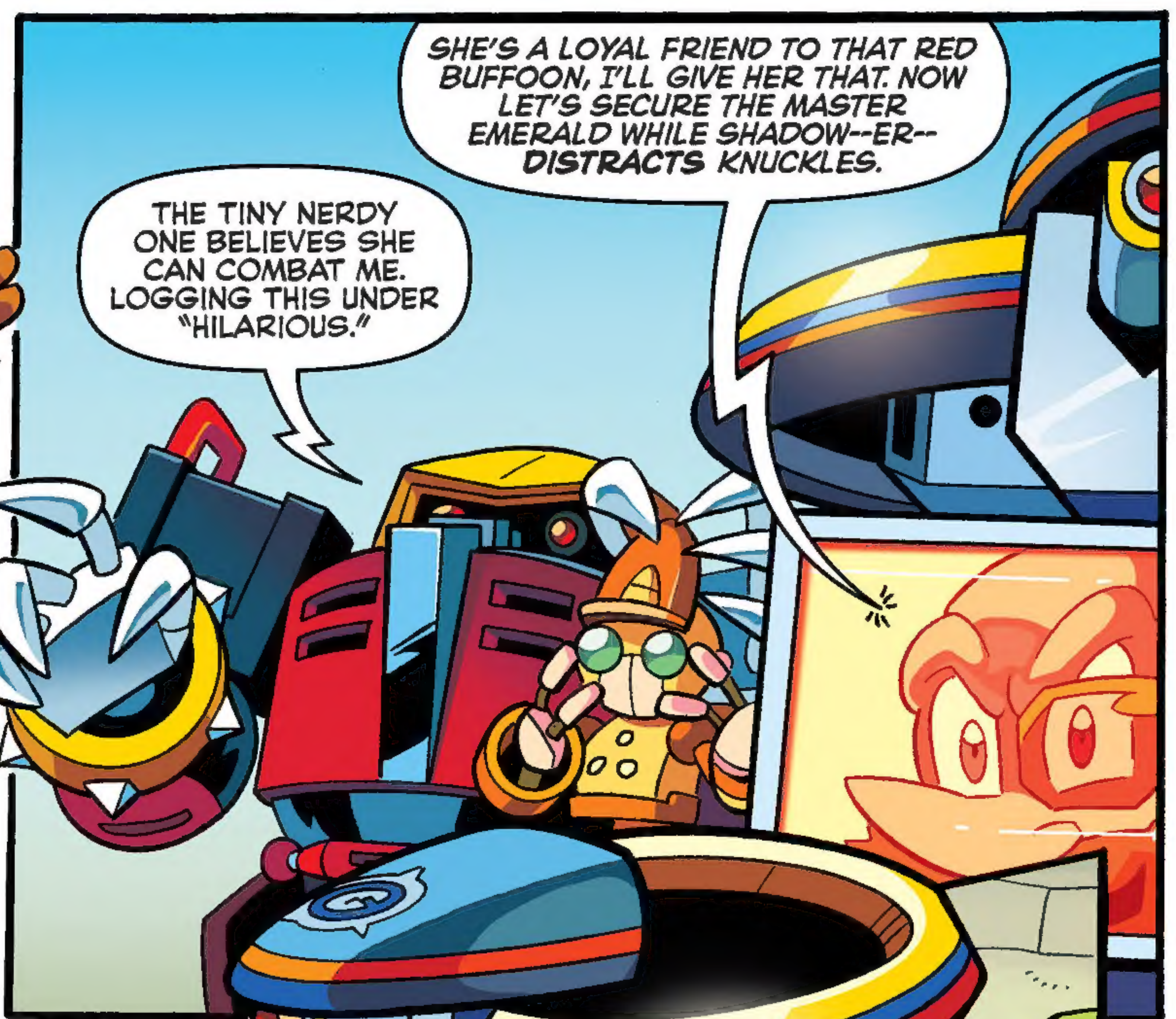
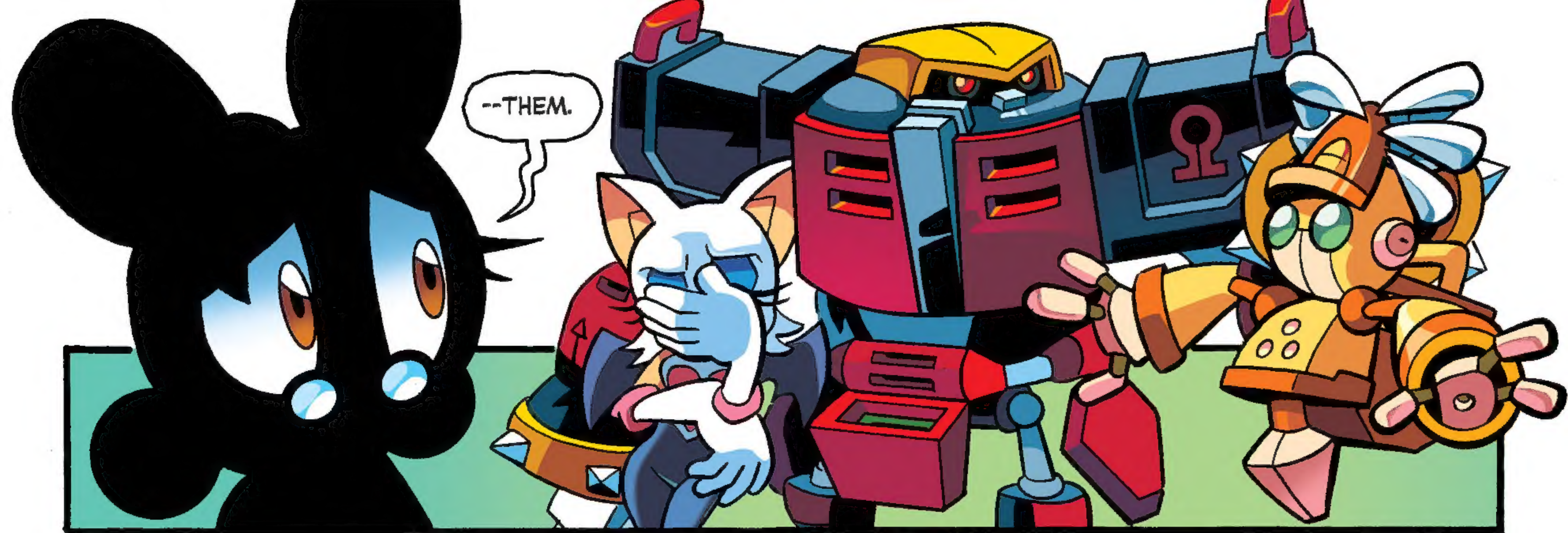
ECLIPSE
IS YOUR
PROBLEM!

IT'S YOUR
FAULT HE'S
HERE!

SO DEAL
WITH HIM!

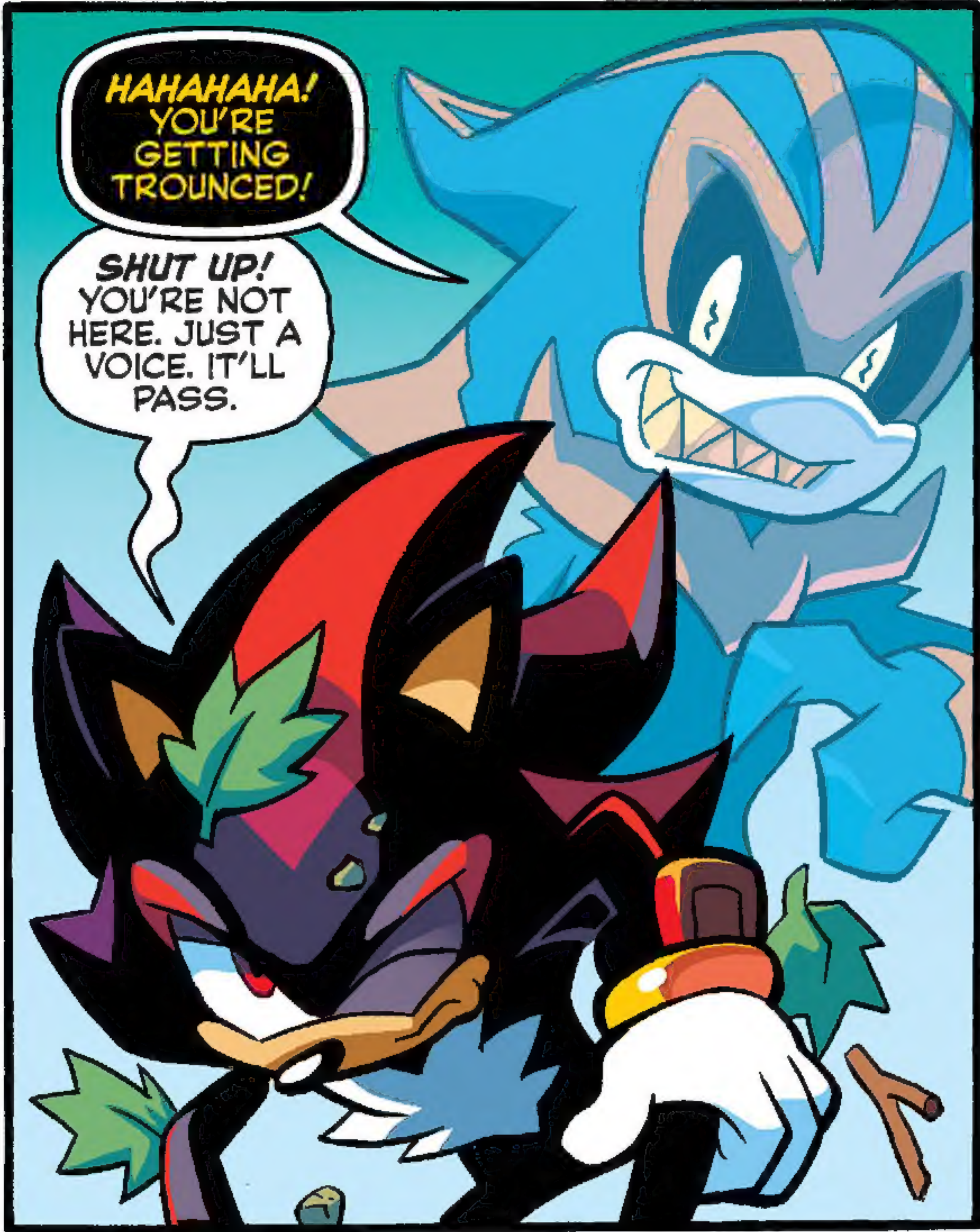
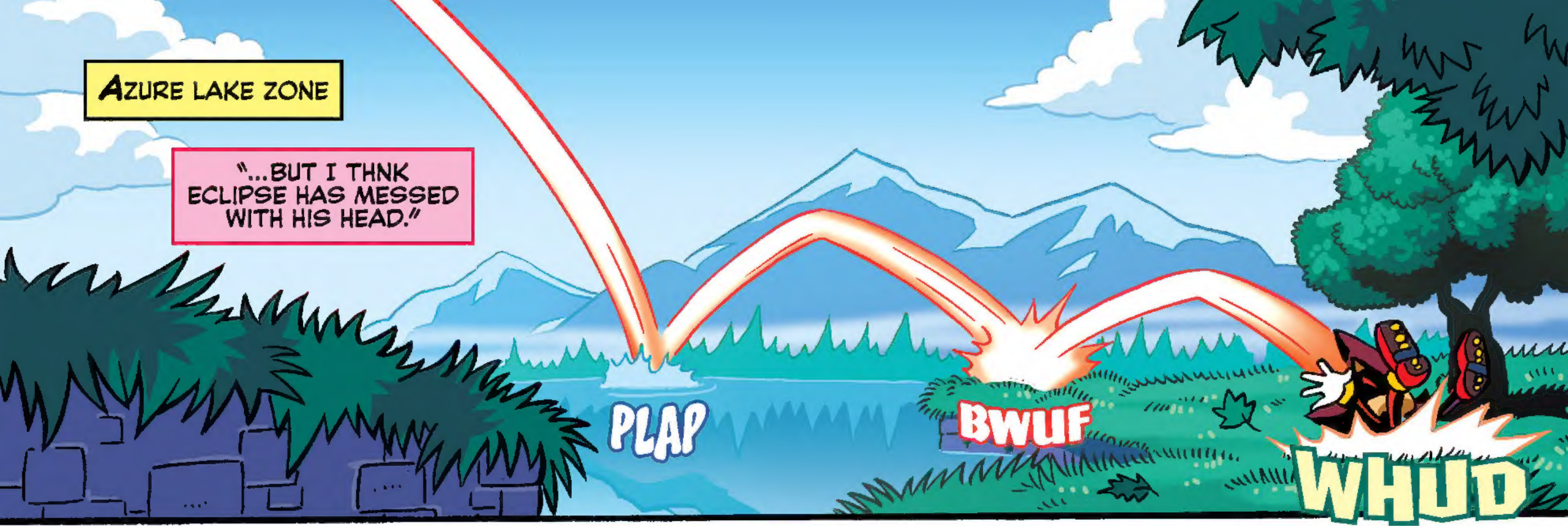






AZURE LAKE ZONE

"...BUT I THINK ECLIPSE HAS MESSED WITH HIS HEAD."





"--AND THEN I'LL
END ECLIPSE!"

RED MOUNTAIN ZONE,
MILES AWAY...

PLEASE BE
OKAY... PLEASE
BE OKAY...



ECLIPSE the
DARKLING
ULTIMATE
ALIEN

DARK ARMS!
WHERE ARE
YOU?!!



AHH-HA-HA!
YOU'RE OKAY!
TEAM DARK
DIDN'T FIND
YOU WHILE I
WAS AWAY!

CREGAL

CYZER

RHYGENTA

BLURK



I'M SORRY,
LITTLE ONES. I
COULDN'T OBTAIN
THE MASTER
EMERALD'S
POWER.

AND I FAILED
TO DESTROY SHADOW...
AGAIN. AT THIS RATE,
WE'LL NEVER HAVE
OUR REVENGE.

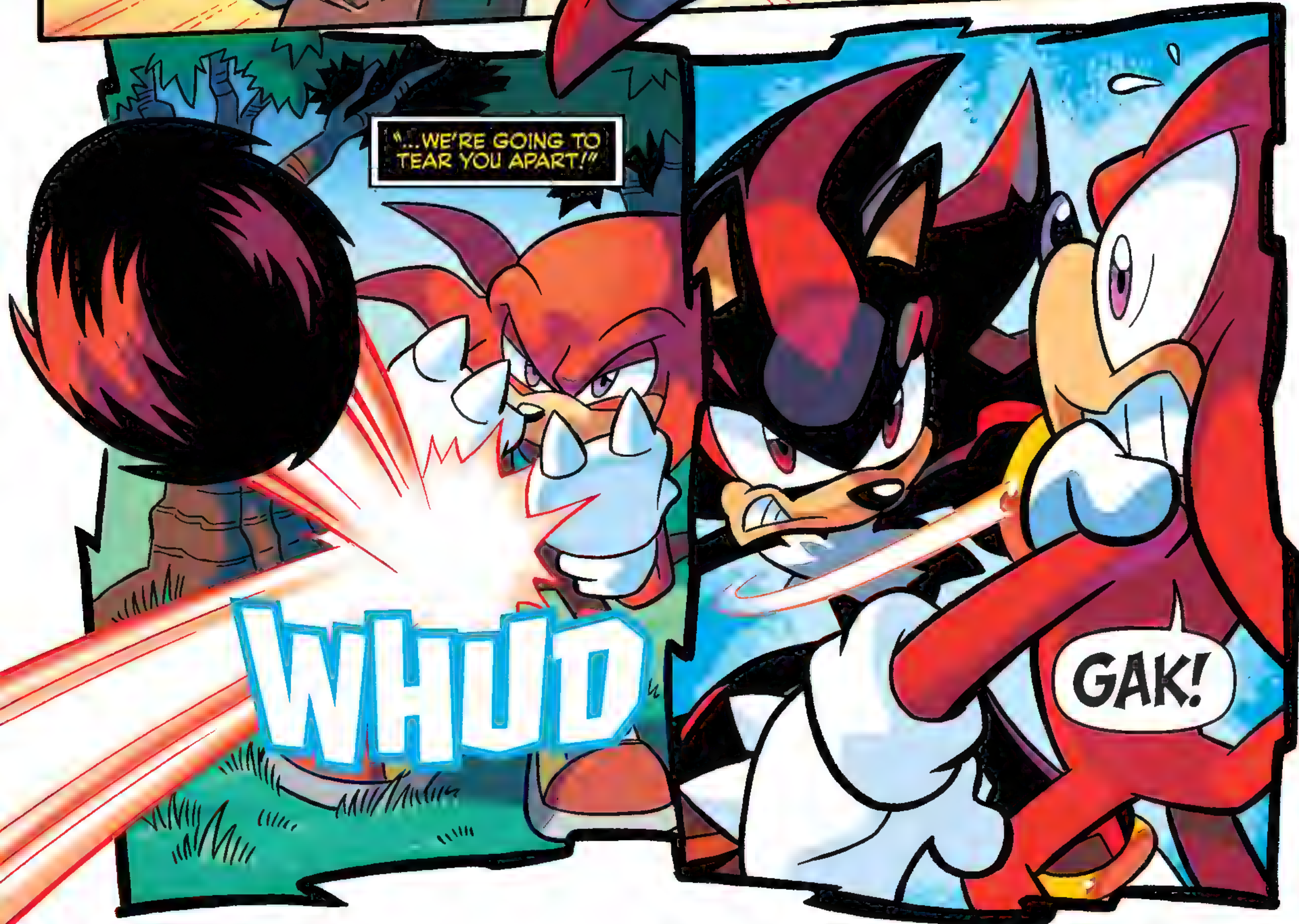




HERE YOU
GO! THE WORLD
YOU'RE ABOUT
TO DEVOUR!



STAY CLOSE
TO ME! FOLLOW
MY EVERY ORDER!
OH-HO-HO--
BRACE YOURSELF
FOR ROUND TWO,
"BROTHER"...



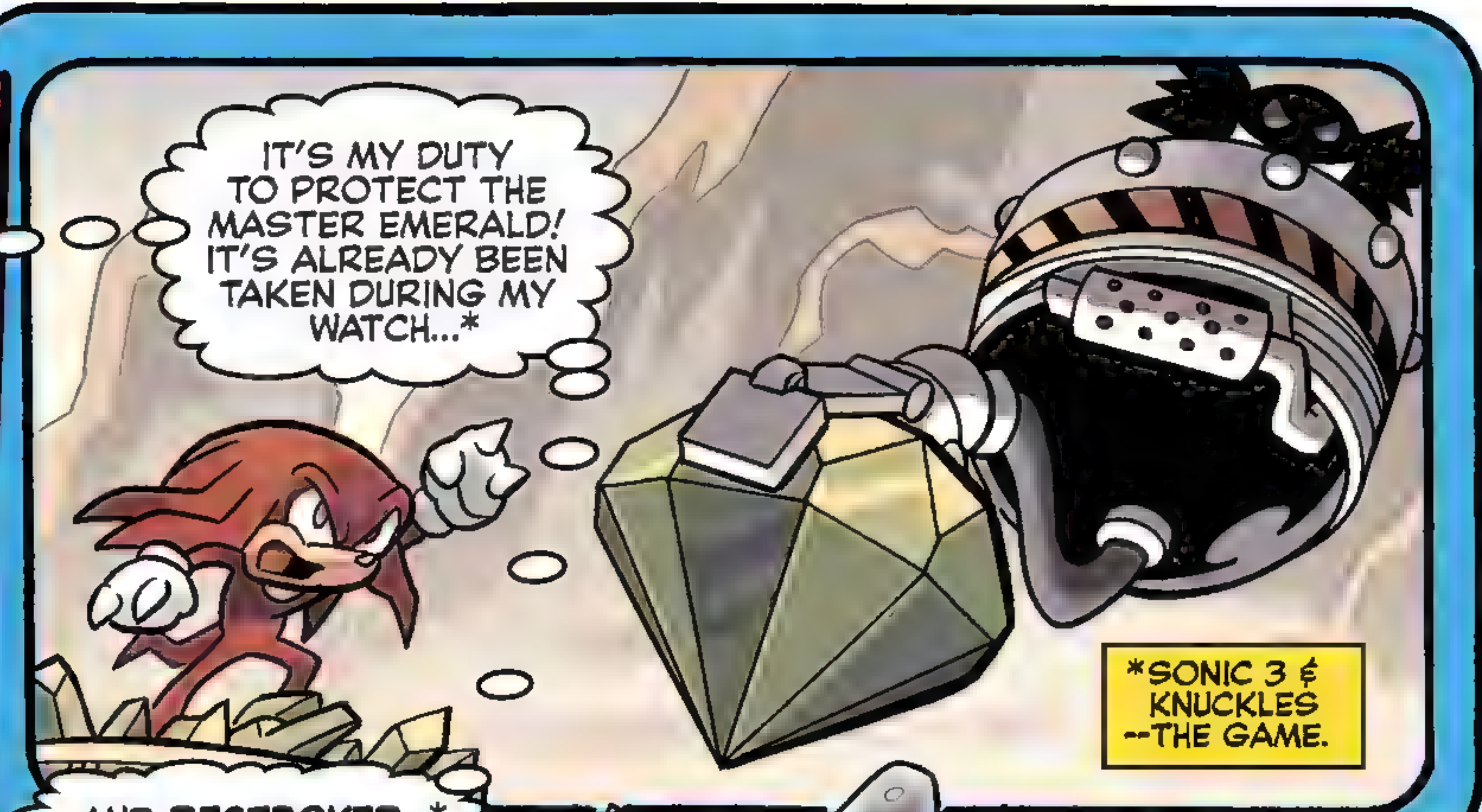
"...WE'RE GOING TO
TEAR YOU APART!"

WHUD

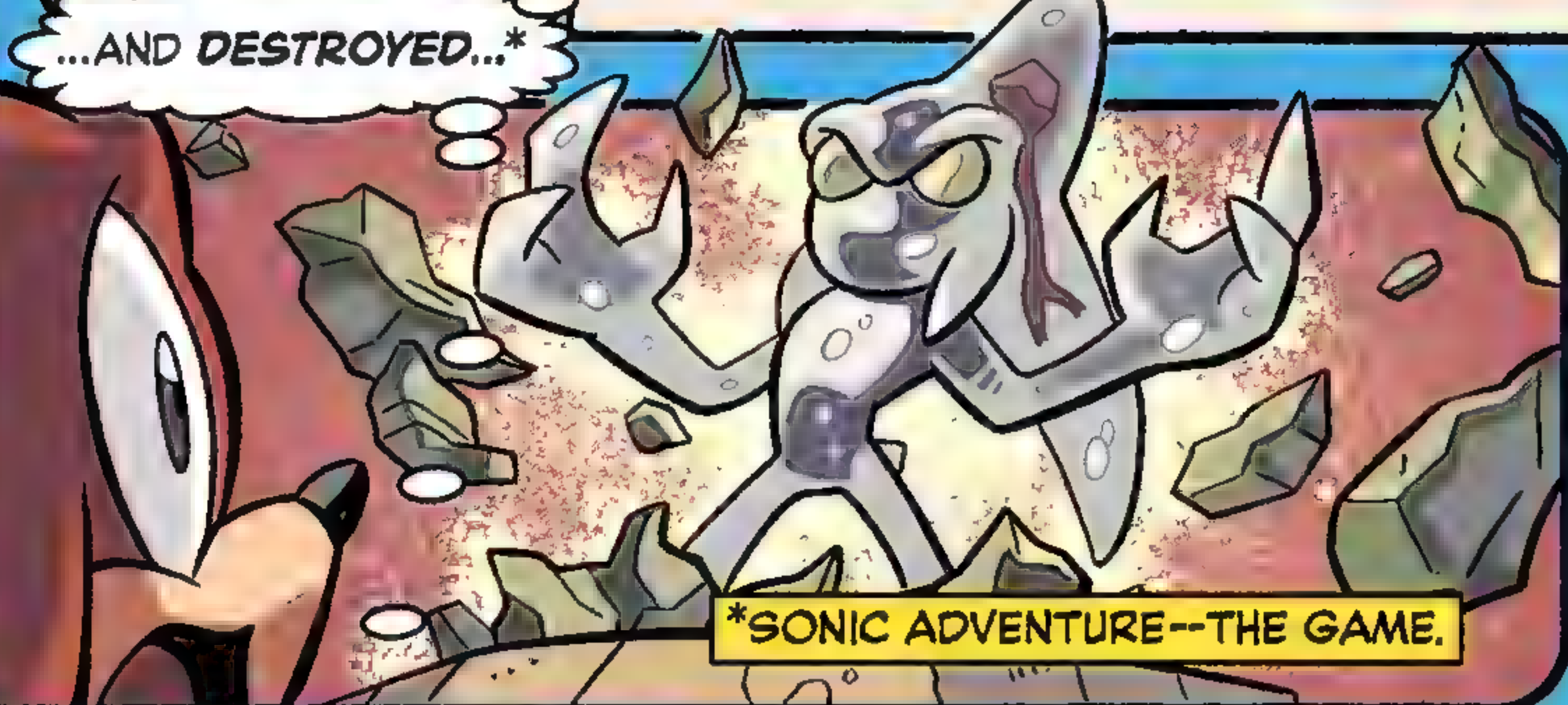
GAK!



NO!
I CAN'T LET
HIM WIN!



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KNUCKLES
--THE GAME.

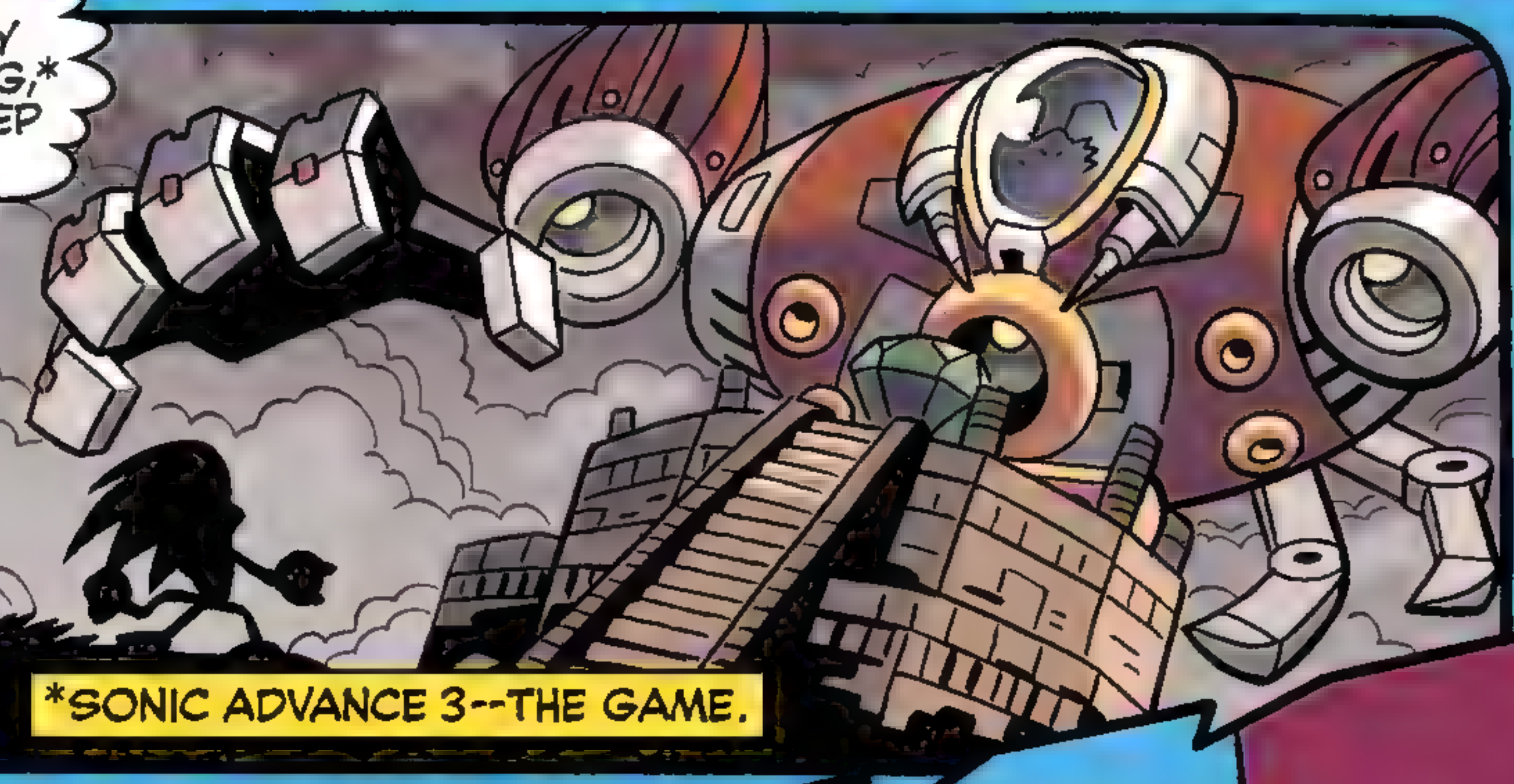


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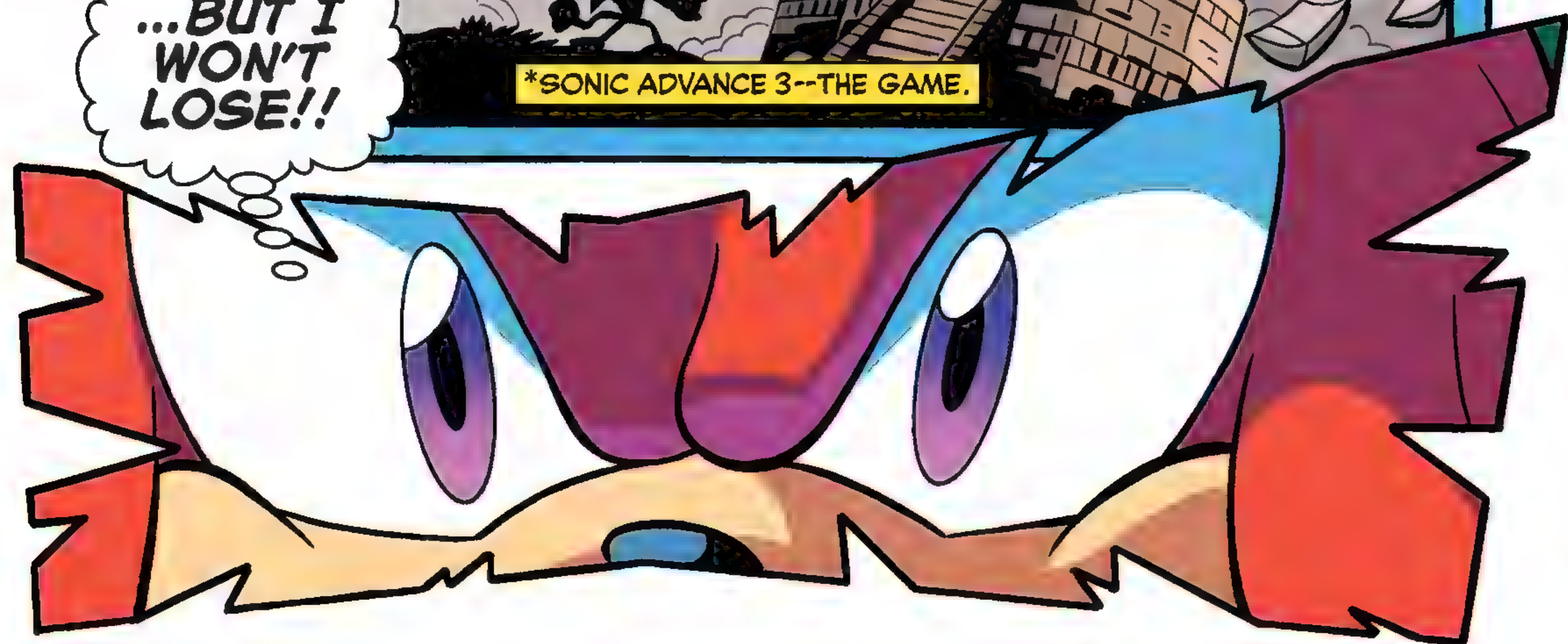


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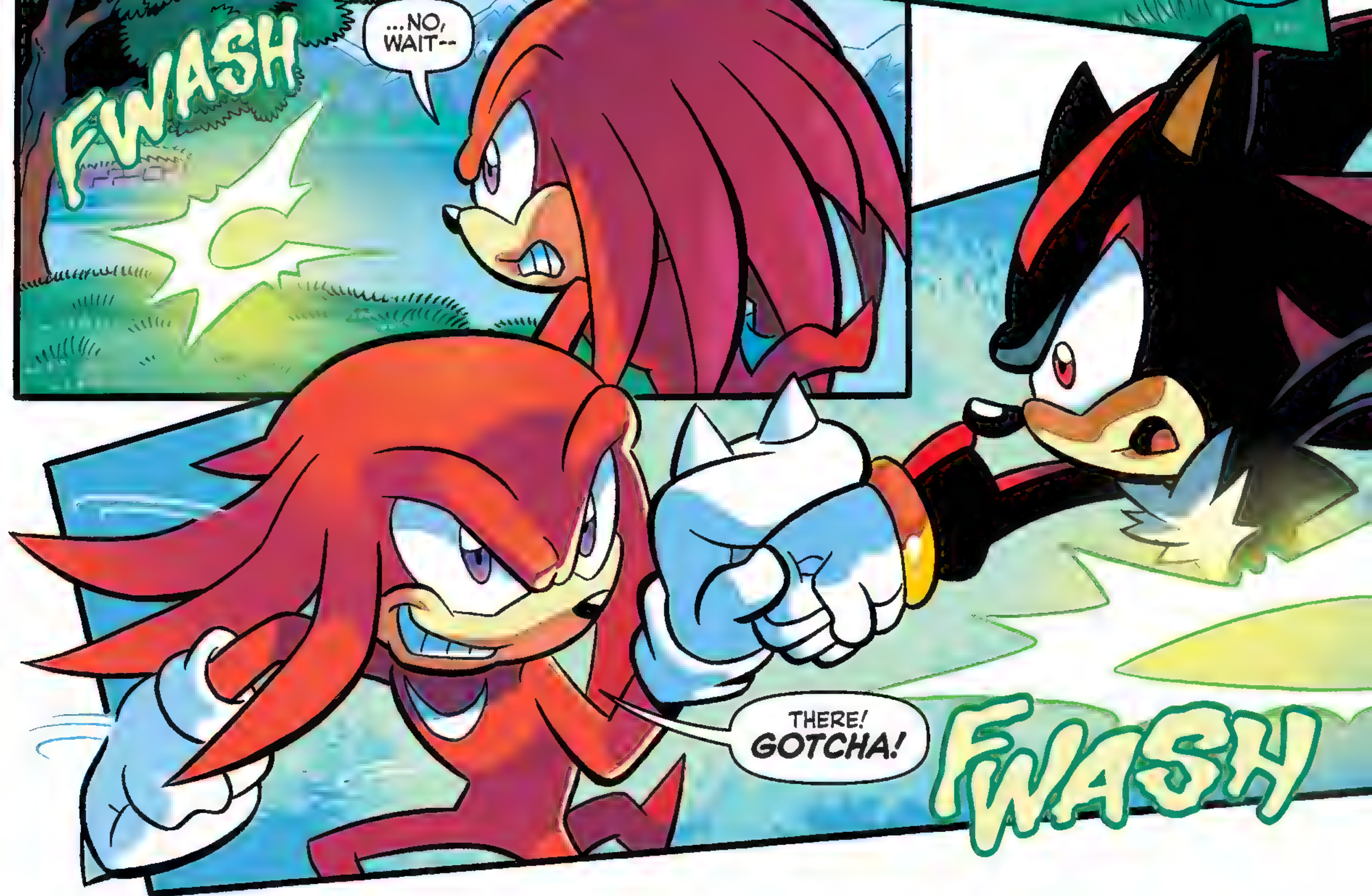
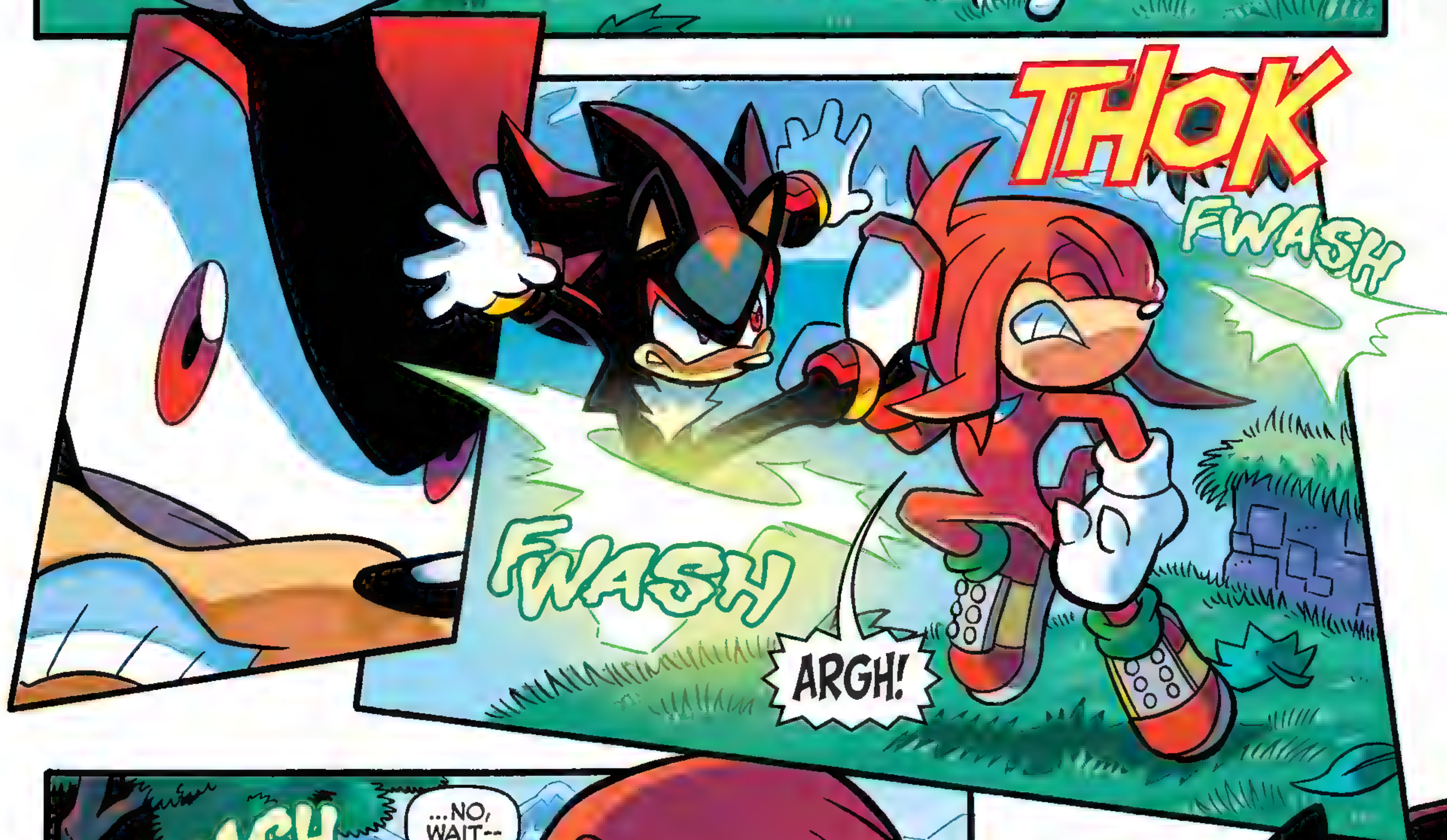
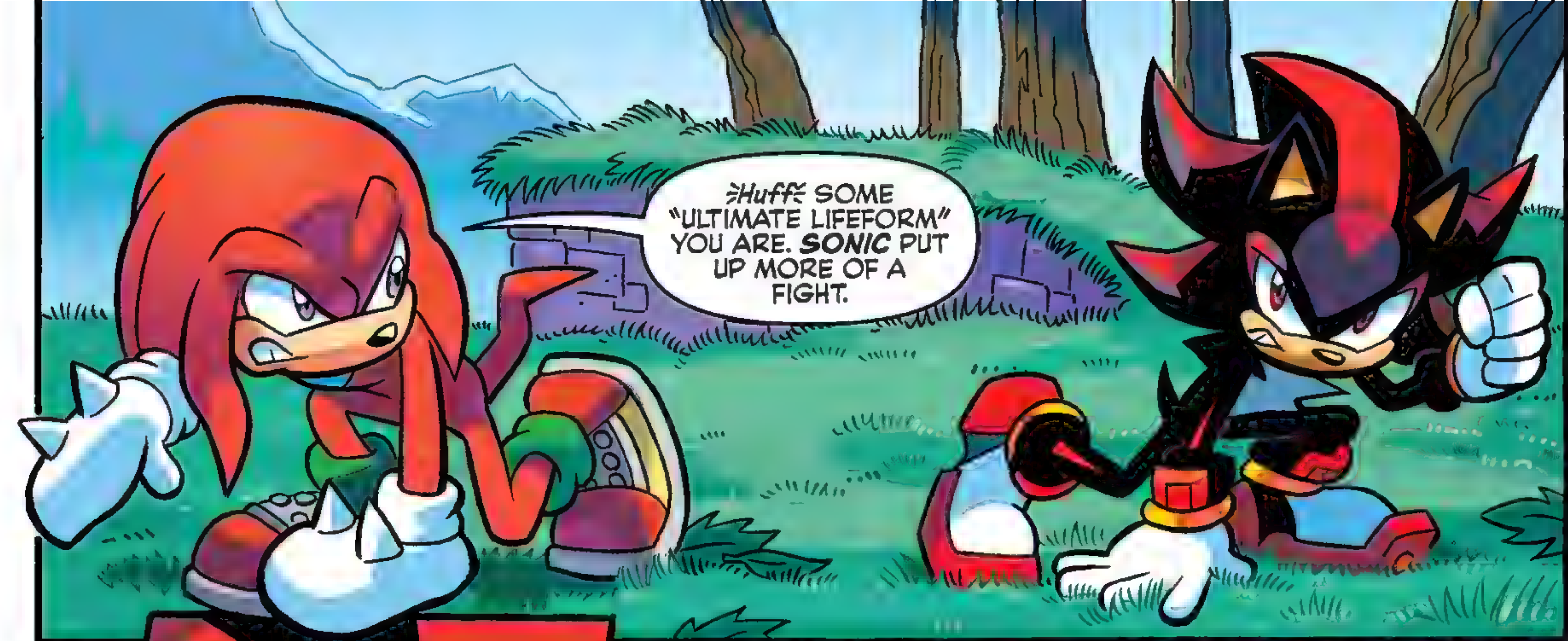
I WILL NOT
FAIL AGAIN! THEY
CAN KEEP COMING,*
KEEP TRYING, KEEP
FIGHTING...



*SONIC ADVANCE 3--THE GAME.







MEANWHILE,
BACK ON
SHRINE ISLE...

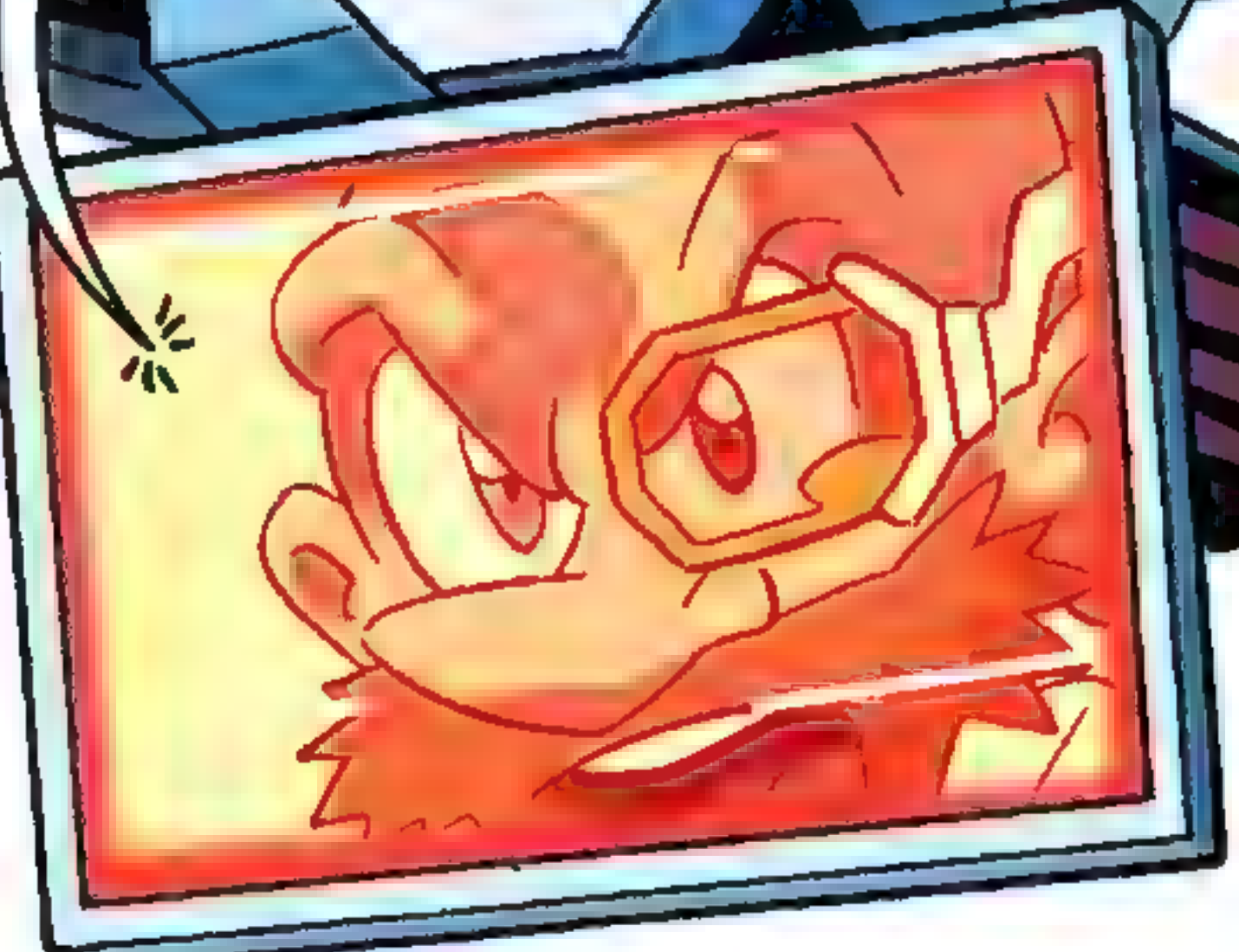
MUST YOU
ANTAGONIZE
HIM LIKE
THAT?

YES. IT IS
MY FUNCTION.

IT IS NOT!
PLEASE PUT
HIM DOWN!

...HELP,
PLEASE...

WHEN I TELL
THE COMMANDER HOW
YOU WASTED TIME AND
ENDANGERED THE SAFETY
OF OUR WORLD...!

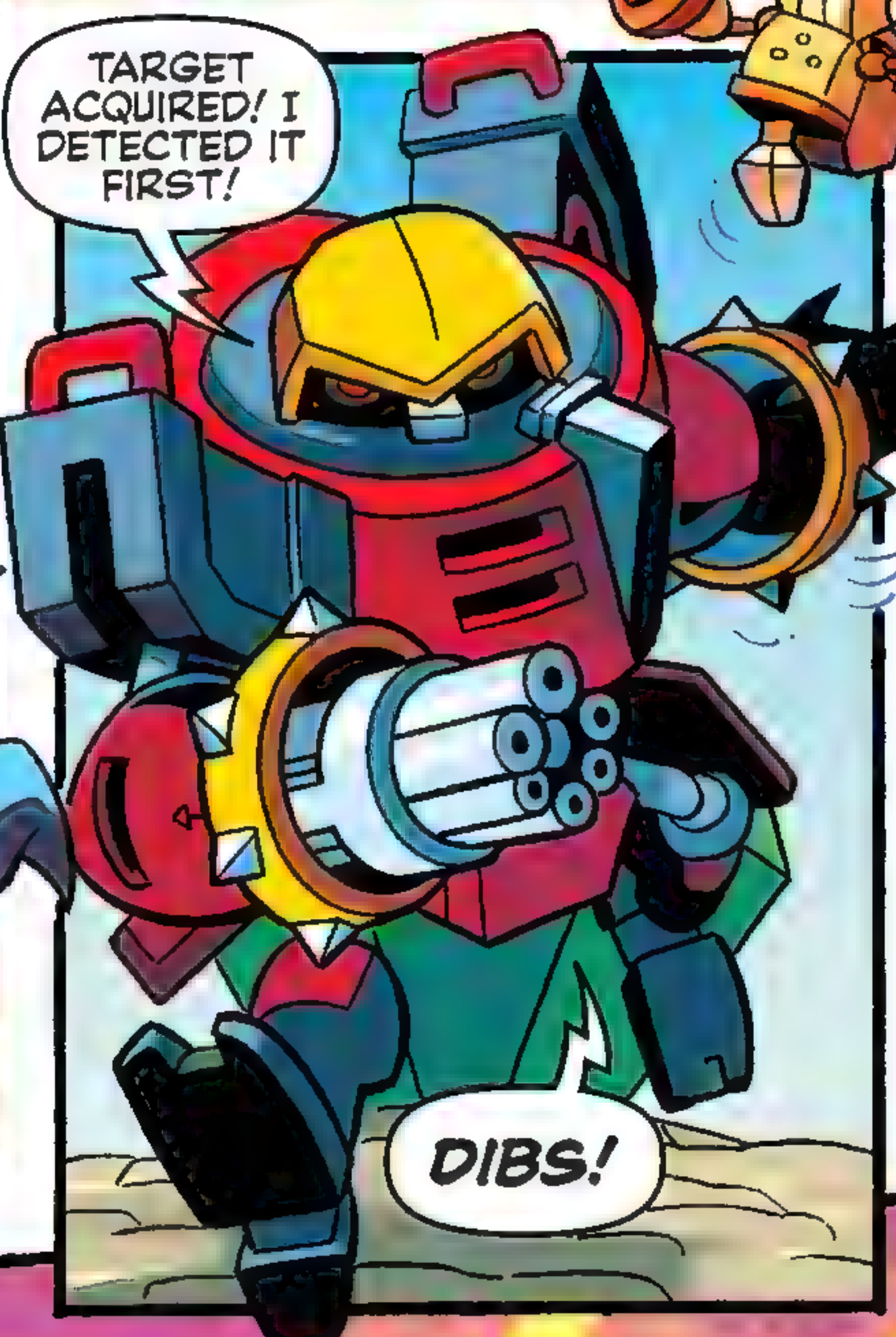


THE WORLD IS
SHATTERED RIGHT NOW.
SAVE YOUR BREATH. WE'RE
WAITING FOR SHADOW
AND KNUCKLES TO COME
BACK. THAT'S **FINAL**.

SUCH
DECISIVE-
NESS!



PERHAPS I'LL
GLEAN THAT TRAIT
FROM YOU AFTER
I'VE CONSUMED
YOU?



TARGET
ACQUIRED! I
DETECTED IT
FIRST!

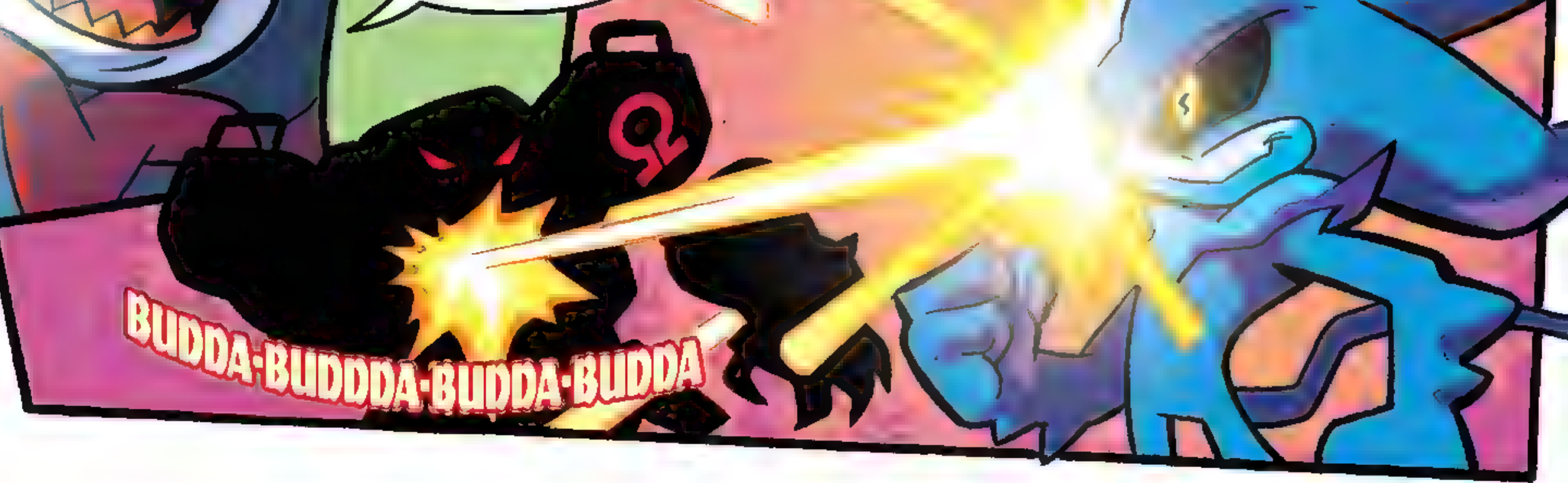
DIBS!



BLURK--
TO ME!

EVERYONE
ELSE--
SCATTER!

DARK ARM POWER:
ARMOR!



BUDDA-BUDDA-BUDDA-BUDDA





DARK ARM
POWER:
WING!

SINCE
WHEN
COULD
HE--?!

HAHA!
NOT BAD
FOR SUCH
STUBBY
WINGS!

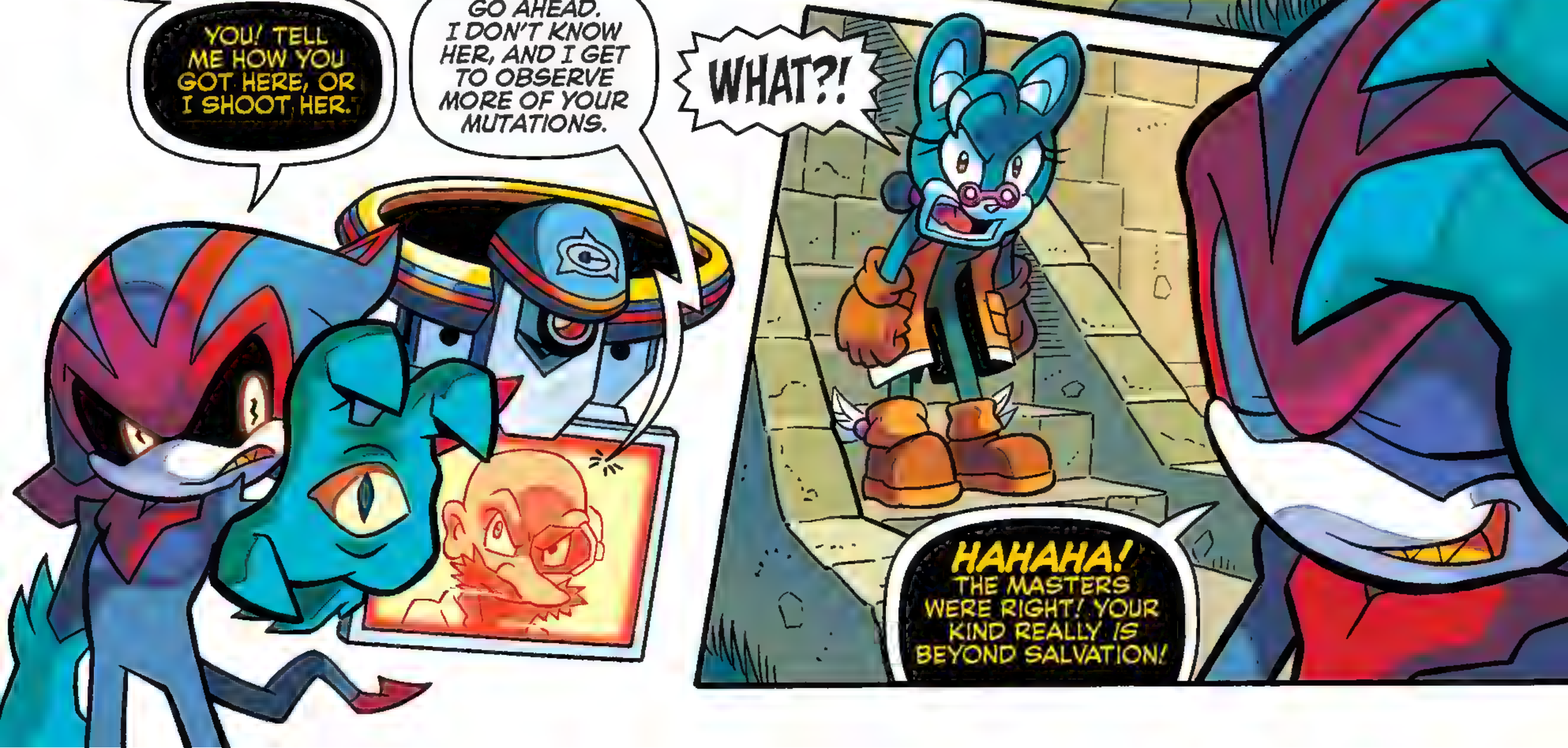
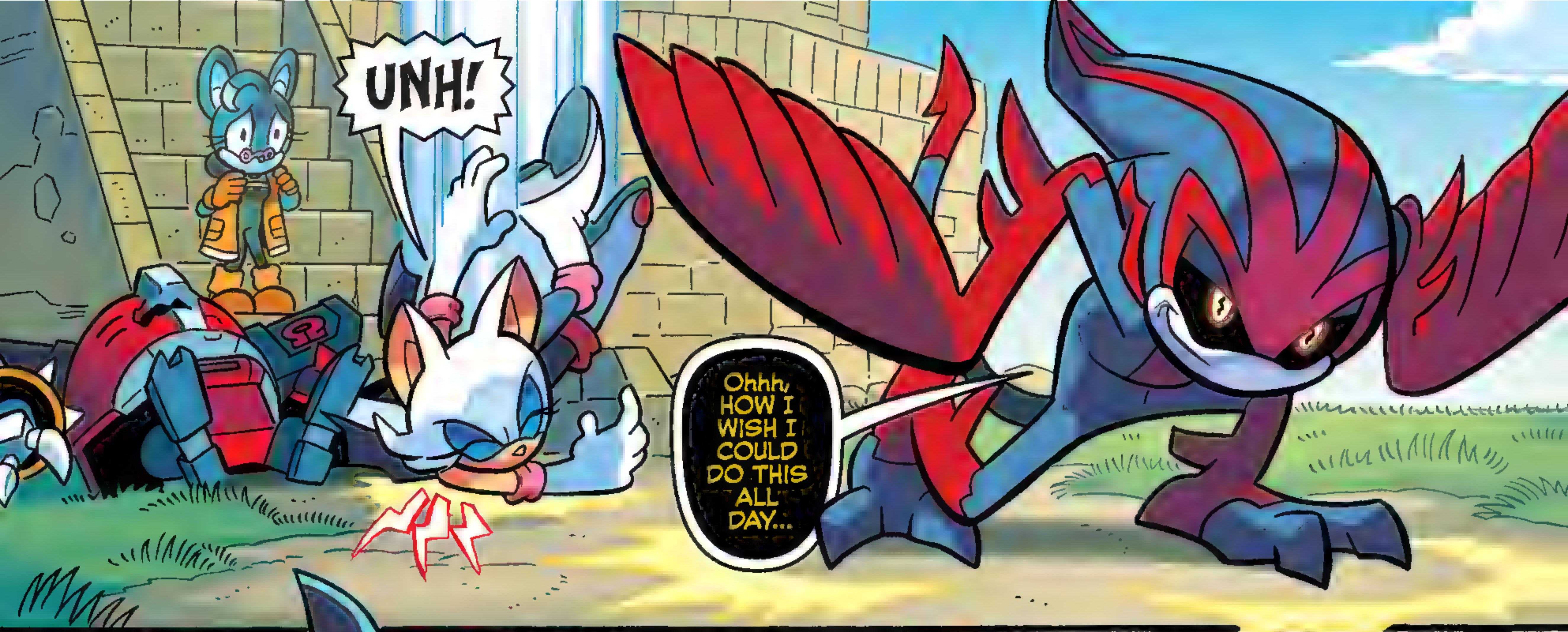
WE'LL SEE IF
YOU'RE STILL
LAUGHING
AFTER I KICK
YOUR GROSS
TEETH IN!

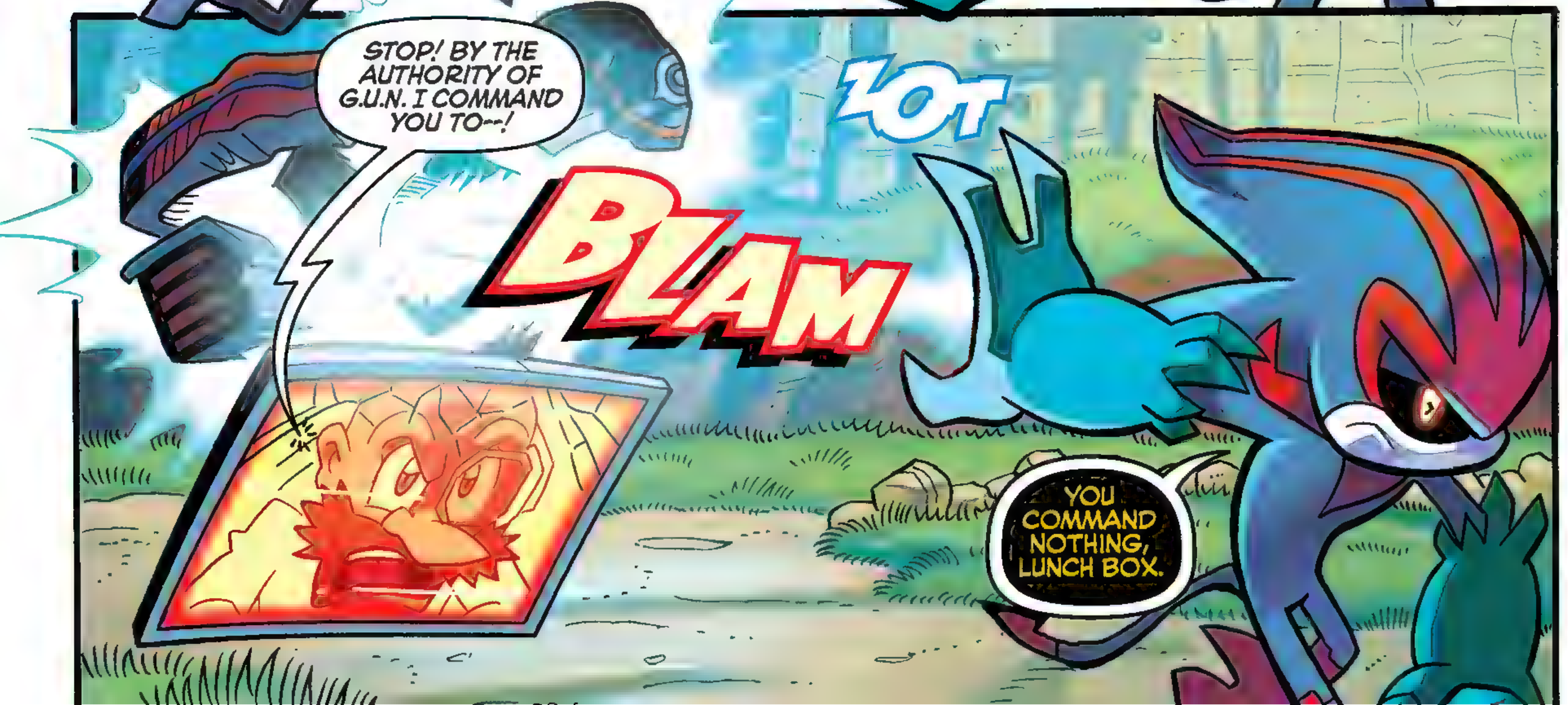
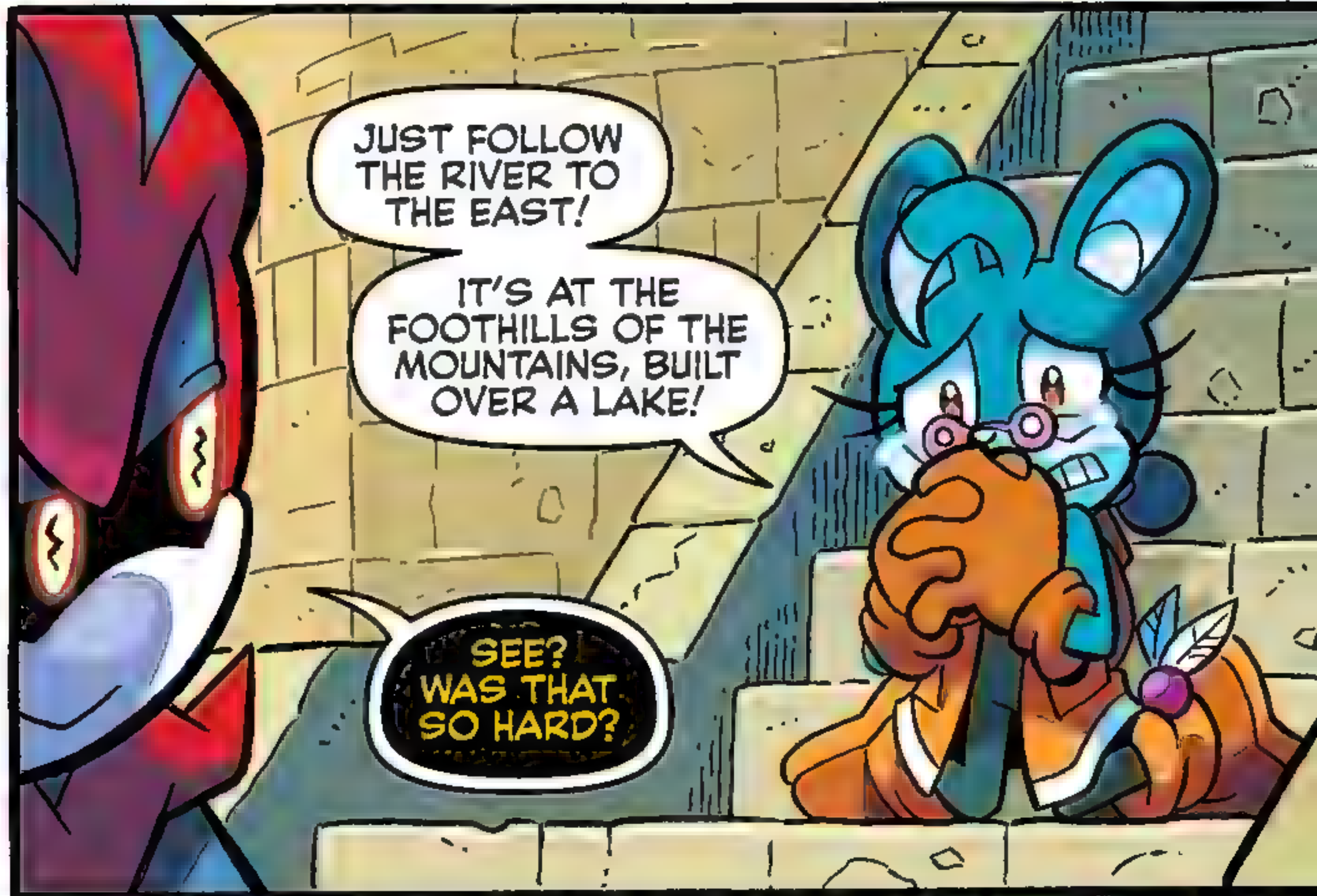
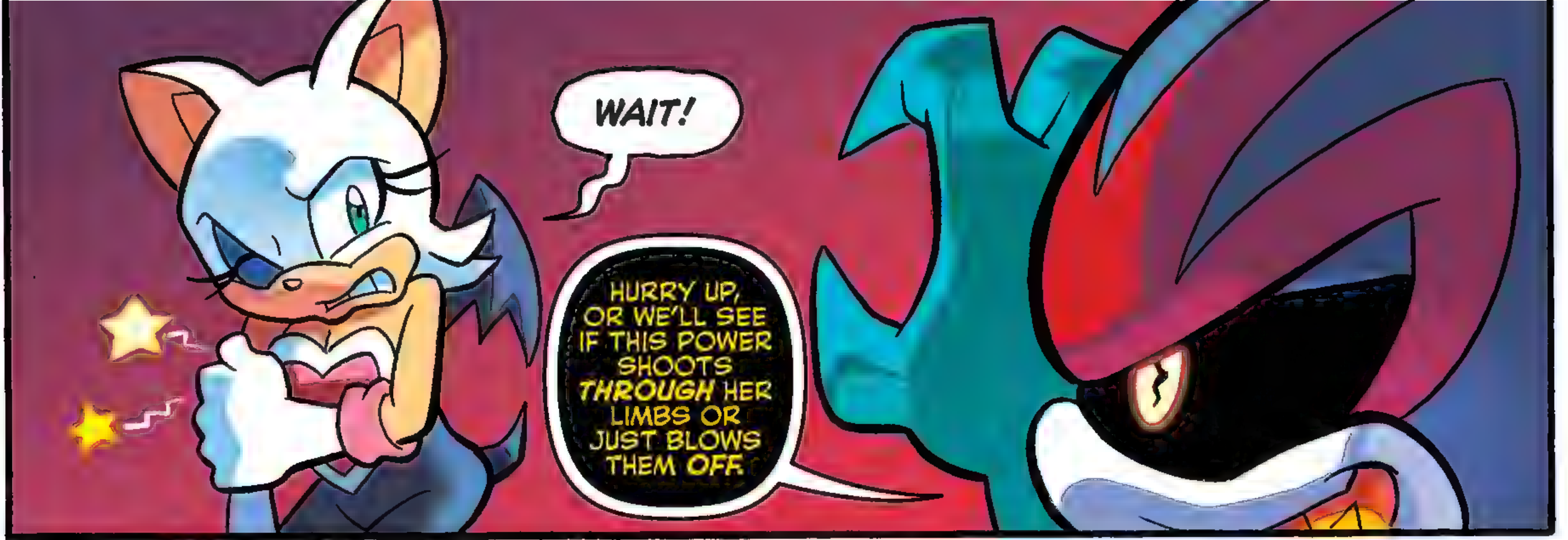


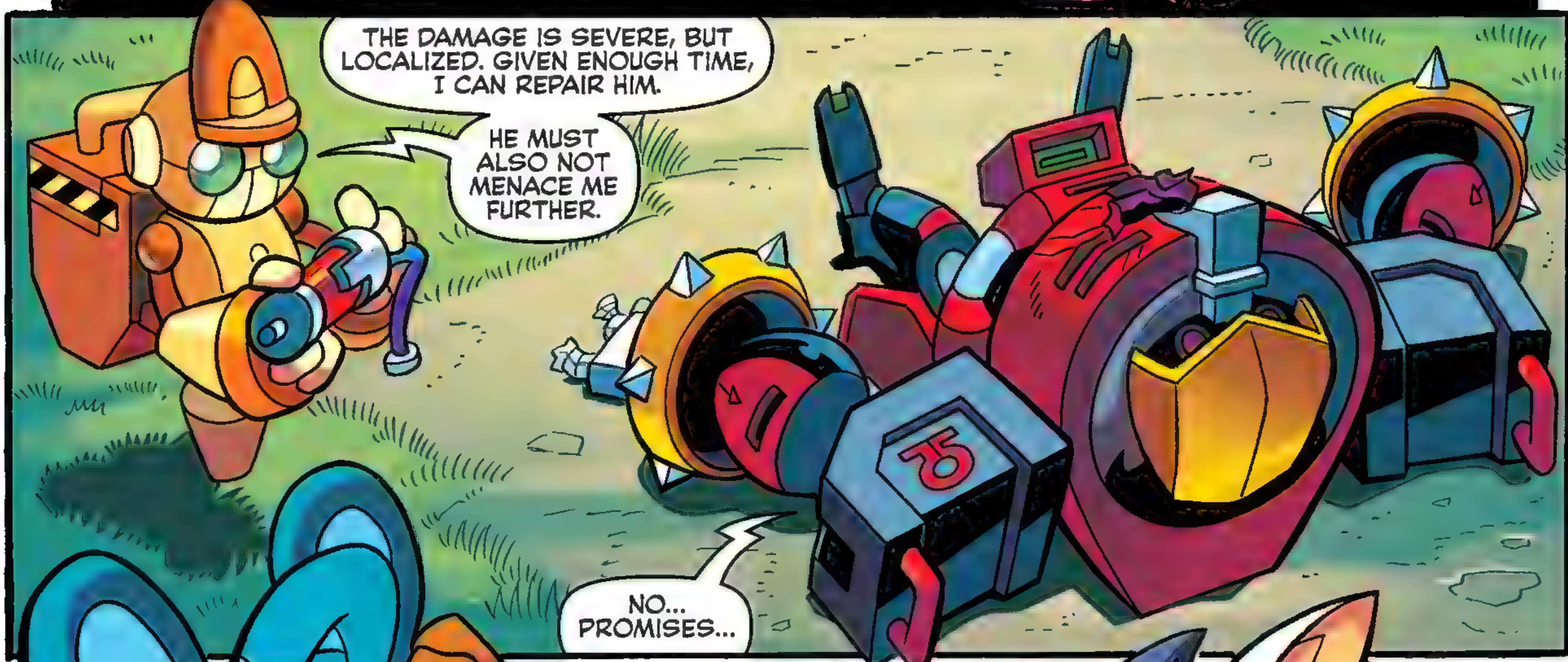
POOSH!



AUGH!







"...ARE BUSY BEING
THICK-HEADED
IDIOTS!"

BACK AT
AZURE LAKE
ZONE...

SMASH!

CRUMBLE





KNUCKLES AND SHADOW

--CRUSHED? DROWNED? **BOTH?!**

TEAM DARK

--OUT OF COMMISSION?!

ECLIPSE

and the **DARK ARMS**

--ABOUT TO DEVOUR THE WORLD!!



THE DARK TRILOGY

--REACHES
ITS FEVERED
CONCLUSION
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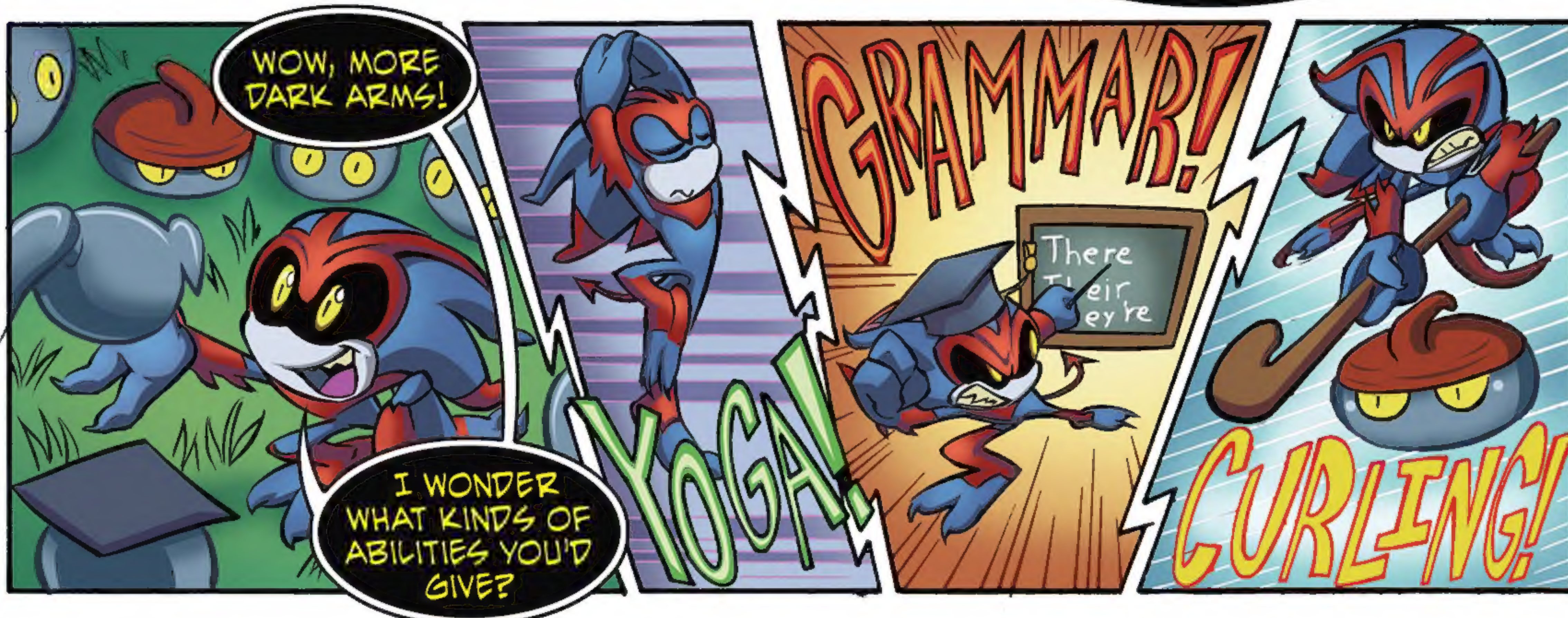
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Dear 'My Sonic Universe,'
Hey, I enjoy reading your comics.

Lucas R. sent to
Sonic@ArchieComics.com

Thanks, Lucas! I enjoy reading your fan mail!

Dear 'My Sonic Universe,'

Ok, just to let you know I'm going to be sending a LOT of fan mail WARNING: fanmail-overload-this-kid-is-crazy!!!!!!

Come at me, fan mail!

I just read the Total Eclipse part 1. Let me tell you this -- IT WAS AWESOME!!!! 'Shadow Fall' was amazing, but I can tell this chapter is just pure AWESOMENESS!

All this awesomeness has been brewing since the events of "Shadow Fall" in issues 59-62 as well as "The Great Chaos Caper" in issues 63-66! All three stories together form the Dark Trilogy! You can download the

previous stories today for your mobile device! It's 3 times the awesome with none of the mess!

Eclipse totally rocks (no offense, Shadow...) he is my second favorite villain. It was awesome when Shadow kept seeing Black Doom and his Dark Arms in his mind. I just LOVE it when that stuff happens.

It's creepily cool, but I don't think Shadow agrees!

Anyways, before I wrap this up, tell Eclipse to steal the Master Emerald and almost defeat the world. That would be awesome. Really, really awesome.

Not sure I wanna encourage his thievery. Also, if the world is conquered I'd be out of a job!

Oh, can Shadow turn evil again? That was awesome (I love saying that!)

Congratulations, you just had "the usual"!

Eclipse's #1 fan,
Grace B. sent to
Sonic@ArchieComics.com

Thanks for writing in, Grace!

Dear 'My Sonic Universe,'

(Sorta) old fan here! You guys have been treating Sonic like royalty as of late! 2 amazing comics and a new one on the way!

Happy you think so! It's only right to treat the king of speed as such!

I've collected every issue of STH since #221 up to now.

You've built up quite the collection!

Keep up the fantastic work, guys! Make sure to bring on the BOOM!

Solan O. sent to
Sonic@ArchieComics.com

Thanks for the letter, Solan! We will be bringing the BOOM, the new monthly comic series titled Sonic Boom, that is, starting this month! Plugplugplugplug!

See y'all next time for the conclusion to "Total Eclipse"!

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